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In Re U.S. Patent Application )  
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 Applicant: Infineon Technologies )  
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 Serial No.: Not Yet Assigned )  
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 Filed: Herewith )  
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 For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR )  
 CALCULATING A DISCRETE )  
 ORTHOGONAL TRANSFORMATION )  
 SUCH AS FFT OR IFFT )

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Preliminary Amendment for entry in the above-identified application.

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (amended) A method for calculating an orthogonal discrete transform on the basis  
 of the DIT method in prescribed intermediate steps,

wherein

- a) the data are read from a memory organized on a page-for-page basis,
- b) the intermediate step prescribed by the transform is carried out,
- c) the resulting data are stored in a buffer memory, and
- d) the resulting data are written page-for-page from the buffer memory  
 to the memory organized on a page-for-page basis.

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